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Please see the attached Response to the Office Action mailed June 7, 2007 for the above referenced patent application.

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Sir:

This submission is in response to the Office Action, dated June 7, 2007, a response to which is due on September 7, 2007. In that communication, the Examiner has also required restriction as will be explained below. As this submission is timely submitted and no additional excess claims fees are due, there are no fees due.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6.